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Petitioners, Scimed Life Systems, Inc., hereby request a two month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed December 01, 2004. This petition is authorizing the United States Patent and Trademark Office to charge the Extension Fee of \$450.00 to Deposit Account Number 22-0350.

PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136

Respectfully submitted,

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